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(57) Abstract

The present invention is directed to aryl piperazines of formula (I) (wherein Ar, R1, R<sub>8</sub> and R<sub>9</sub> are defined herein) which are useful as modulators of chemokine receptor activity. In particular, these compounds are useful as modulators of the chemokine receptors CCR-1, CCR-2, CCR-2A, CCR-2B, CCR-3, CCR-4, CCR-5, CXCR-3, and/or CXCR-4.

$$N \longrightarrow R_9$$
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 $R_8 \longrightarrow N$ 
 $R_1$ 

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